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Attached hereto please find:

- The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.
- A Petition for Extension of Time. 2.
- The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 4. Certified copy of Priority Document 100 17 285.7 filed in Germany on April 6, 2000, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
- An Assignment for recordation, including a check in the amount of \$40.00.
- A check in the amount of \$1580.00 in payment of the basic filing fee of \$710.00, additional claim fee of \$630.00, one month extension time fee of \$110.00 and the surcharge for late submission of the Declaration of \$130.00.

Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Evenson, McKeown, Edwards & Lenahan, P.L.L.C., Account Number 05-1323 (Docket 225/49834). A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

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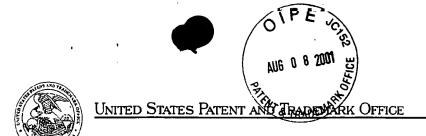
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

 Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$630.
 - \$630 for 35 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1470.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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